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Interview Summary

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Date of Interview: 30 October 2007.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference
c) ☐ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☐ No.

If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: 1.

Identification of prior art discussed: Gustavsson & Murphy

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☒ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

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Claims appear to be allowable over prior art of record
An argument was presented that In re Japinske
does not allow to Gustavsson as the function would
be destroyed. An updated search will be conducted

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